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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

PATENT APPLICATION

Applicants : Peter Burton, et al.
Application No. : 09/815,451 Confirmation No.: 7648
Filed : March 22, 2001
For : METHODS AND APPARATUS FOR ON-LINE
ORDERING
Group Art Unit : 2161
Examiner : Not Yet Assigned

New York, New York 10020

December 21, 2001

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Hon. Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 2327

Arlington, VA 22202

PETITION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), applicants hereby petition for a five-month extension of the shortened statutory period set for response to the Notice of Incomplete Reply (Nonprovisional) dated September 20, 2001. A check for nine hundred eighty dollars (\$980.00), in payment of the fee set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)(5), small entity status, is enclosed. The Director is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional extension

fees required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17 in connection with the paper(s) transmitted herewith, or credit any overpayment of same, to Deposit Account No. 06-1075. A duplicate of this Petition is submitted herewith.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Edward M. Arons", is written over a horizontal line.

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